

Docket No.: 2091-0240P

(PATENT)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:

Fumito TAKEMOTO

Application No.: 09/842,908

Confirmation No.: 8383

Filed: April 27, 2001

Art Unit: 2612

For: IMAGE PROCESSING METHOD, IMAGE

PROCESSING APPARATUS AND RECORDING MEDIUM STORING

PROGRAM THEREFOR

Examiner: L. T. Nguyen

REPLY TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 May 18, 2005

Sir:

In reply to the Restriction Requirement dated March 18, 2005, the period for reply being extended one month per the attached Petition for Extension of time, the following remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This reply includes: Remarks